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1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specification	Total Pages 15	5. <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documentation)	
2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) (35 USC 113)	Total Pages 3	6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Letter under 37 CFR 1.41(c).	
3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Declaration and Power of Attorney	Total Pages 2	7. <input type="checkbox"/> English Translation Document (if applicable)	
a. <input type="checkbox"/> Executed (original or copy)		8. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Copies of IDS Citations
b. <input type="checkbox"/> Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 14 completed)		9. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment "A" Prior To Action	
<i>[Note Box 4 Below]</i>		10. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)	
i. <input type="checkbox"/> <u>DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)</u>	Signed statement attached deleting Inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).	11. <input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Status	
4. <input type="checkbox"/> Incorporation By Reference (usable if Box 3b is checked)	The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 3b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.	12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document (s) <u>German Application No. 102 44 458.7 filed September 24, 2002</u>	
		13. <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	

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Proposed Patent Application for MANFRED WIEDEMER entitled "PRINTING DEVICE AND METHOD TO TRANSFER INK ONTO A RECORDING MEDIUM BY USE OF A SPARK DISCHARGE" consisting of specification, claims, abstract, unexecuted declaration, 3 sheets of drawings, IDS, and copies of IDS Citations, Letter under Rule 37 CFR 1.41C, a Certified copy of a German Application No. 102 44 458.7, and Filing Fee for Attorney Docket No. P03,0328



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Re: Proposed Patent Application for MANFRED WIEDEMER entitled "PRINTING DEVICE AND METHOD TO TRANSFER INK ONTO A RECORDING MEDIUM BY USE OF SPARK DISCHARGE", for Attorney Docket No. P03,0328

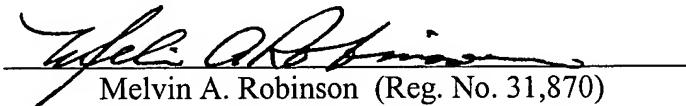
SIR:

Under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.41 (c), I am filing the attached application with 24 claims, abstract of the disclosure, 3 sheets of drawings, an unexecuted declaration, IDS, copies of IDS citations, a copy of a Certified German Application No. 102 44 458.7 filed September 22, 2002, and a filing fee on behalf of MANFRED WIEDEMER, and request that the application papers be assigned a serial number and filing date.

On behalf of the inventor(s), I hereby claim priority from German Application No. 102 44 458.7 filed September 24, 2002.

I request that the application be assigned a Serial No. and Filing Date pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).

Respectfully submitted,

  
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